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Dr. Ivan Sanderson
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Dear Dr. Sanderson:

For a long time I have been intending to write and thank you for your very complimentary discussion on my books on the flying saucers, but the mail has swamped me since 1953. I am just now beginning to catch up.

John DuBarry has often mentioned you and I hope that we three can get together sometime in New York.

Recently a letter was sent to you at my suggestion by the National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena. I have carefully checked into their plans and I am convinced they will conduct a serious unbiased investigation. Knowing of your interest in the subject, I thought you might be willing to give them your opinions. A number of recognized scientists, educators, clergymen and industrial leaders have already expressed their approval of NICAP's plans. In a short time, when the Board of Governors takes over, a monthly publication will be published giving both sides of the controversy, with scientific analyses of the latest sightings.

I know you are extremely busy, but if you could advise the Committee occasionally, or comment on selected verified sightings from time to time, it would be most helpful. If you are unable to do this, at least now, it would be a great help to have a statement from you approving the plans for conducting a serious impartial investigation.

I will be glad to answer any questions about NICAP's plans, if you care to write me. Of course Mr. Brown and the Committee will be delighted to hear from you at the NICAP headquarters.

Sincerely yours,

DEK:RH

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Major Donald E. Keyhoe
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Dear Don,

Many thanks for yours of the 7th and its enclosures. As I mentioned on the phone today I would welcome three more sets, one of which I will pass on to Hohn Nebel. He will give you his private address and phone when you finally meet but he is terrified (and I dont blame him, being in the same business) that it might get on to a mailing list. I had to change mine five times in one year !

Since talking to you this afternoon I have persued the van Winkle affair. Two fairly top airline executives, personal friends of mine, have promised to track him down, or at least his address and phone by midday tomorrow. If he is here a group of us will try and get his permission to drive out to Long Island tomorrow evening to talk with him. However, both my airline friends said the same thing and I quote "But I dont think you'll get him for a while ; they'll be sure to have him in Washington." Intrigued by this remark I asked both why. One said something to the effect that this always happens but the other -- a very old friend -- said "Well when our two boys saw the same thing at just about the same place last year, ~~they had~~ the caastguard diverted our plane to Washington by radio, demanded we have two more pilots waiting there which we did not have, grabbed the boys and kept them incommunicado for almost three weeks." I was a bit stunned.

I asked where these "boys" were. They are both (brothers) still flying for the line and my friend tells me that I can meet them and that he does not know any reason why they wont tell us all about it. How much of this sort of thing is going on ? You might like to get the details, and perhaps one of your Board (of late service standing) might like to ask the appropriate holders of these boys, just why this action was taken, on whose authority, for why, what they learned, and above all why they (the officers, then on active duty) weren't informed. This is no crackpot story. Its a very hardboiled freight line who dont like having their busy aircraft shifted about and left waiting, nor their scarce pilots grounded for three weeks. Of course even V.P.s of airlines can make up stories but this came from an old friend and was volunteered before I mentioned my reasons for wanting to meet van Winkle. He said he did not even know of my interest in UFos.

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of N.Y.

I am taking the liberty of enclosing copies of two pieces that may be of interest to you. The small one is a few pages of notes for BenGross of the NEWS, who heard Long John and I discussing this possibility on the air the other night. He wants to do a piece in his column on it. I take an increasingly alarmed view of this curious suggestion.

The other is the rough draft of a piece I am doing for my old friend Hans Stefan Santesson, now Editor of Fantastic Universe, science-fiction, who is a staunch ally of serious ufologists and is running a series by the CSI. I send this because it puts into fairly compact form most of my opinions on Ufology as a whole and stresses two points that I would otherwise have had to write to you at some length. These are first that I am worried NICAP is going to fall into the trap of regarding UFOS as a single item; and second, to bring to your attention the Wassilko-Serechi theory which I, as a biologist, take the keenest interest in. I got on to this latter about ten months ago and have been developing it from a biological point of view ever since. The further I go the more satisfied I become with it as a possible explanation of a very high percentage of incidents -- notably those with Angel-hair. I want urgently to commend it to your organization's consideration.

After twenty-five years of collecting odds and sods on this business, I have become convinced that it is enormously complex. By this I mean that Ufos of a far wider variety of origins than anybody has so far considered possible have been seen and do exist. In speaking, I always use a parable -- namely, take a cubic yard of any soil to a good modern equipped lab and start counting the different kinds of living organisms you can find in it. If you have the time and the technicians, you should, I am told gather about 10,000 different ones in due course. The Universe is a big place and the number of "things" one cubic planet may contain probably far exceeds that count. In fact, what you need in NICAP is a good trained Taxonomist to start classifying the things.

But enough of this ; I must back to giant men-apes and abstruse pharmaceuticals. Hope to see you soon. Meantime, we will report.

Yours sincerely,

Ivan T. Sanderson.

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March 11, 1957

Mr. Ivan Sanderson
325 West 45th Street
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Dear Ivan:

Here are the extra copies you requested. If you need more, please let us know.

Thanks very much for the cooperation regarding the Pan American case. We'll appreciate whatever you can get for us on this sightings.

Thanks also for your fine offer of cooperation and for the publicity you are getting us for NICAP

I hope to see you soon, either here or in New York.

Best regards

Sincerely,

DEK:RH
Encl.

DONALD E. KEYHOE, Major USMC (Ret.)
DIRECTOR OF NICAP

March 29, 1957

Mr. Ivan T. Sanderson
325 West 45th Street
New York 36, New York

Dear Ivan:

Please accept my apologies for the long silence. We have been completely swamped with work on the magazine and an avalanche of mail from all sources, but I was extremely interested in the material you sent me and I hope to discuss it in detail with you in the very near future.

Things are building up very rapidly here, and as soon as we have enough personnel we shall be making intensive investigations and sending reports to the membership, besides the monthly publication.

A few days ago I received a letter from Cornell University asking me to give them a talk during their Aviation Day program in May (I am sorry I cannot locate the letter with the exact date, but shall forward it shortly). I told them that I was unable to make it but suggested that I would write to you because you were interested. You may be hearing from them shortly. I may be in New York to appear on Mike Wallace's program,Night Beat, on April 19th. If so, I'll let you know ahead of time and I hope we can get together.

Meantime, thanks again for all the magnificent cooperation from you and the top leaders of CSI. I'll be sending a longer letter in a very short time.

With best regards.

Cordially

DONALD E. KEYHOE
Director of NICAP

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4th April,1957

Major Donald E. Keyhoe
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Washington 6., D.C.

Dear Don,

Many thanks for your letter of the 29th March. I know how snowed under you must be and so dont bother to answer this.

I will be alert for any request from Cornell. Meantime, we are rather busy too on Ufological matters.

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13th April,1957

I got caught in the middle of the above and since then have been travelling continuously. Got back from N. Carolina yesterday to hear the very sad news. May I offer my sincerest condolences. I feel somehow responsible as I was the first CSI man contacted by John Martin, via the local newsman and good friend of mine in Jersey -- Dick Harpster. I suppose I could have headed John off but I saw no cause to do so and he was already under contract to the American Weekly, so I just went along with it all. I only hope that what he tells me is right : namely, that he was not the cause of this disaster but only the last straw.

All of this makes it not worthwhile my plunging into the items that I would otherwise have relayed. They can wait. The major thing now is to see what you are going to do and stand by to help in any way we can. Have you considered Tombaugh or some man like Juan Trippe ? Sounds mad, I know, but a non-military bloke might do a lot for the cause and be very acceptable to the people. I'm always for the unexpected and so often it works. Anyhow, dont forget us wellwishers up here and let us know if there is anything we can do. You can always call me collect at any of the above addresses or via Belvidere, N.J. to GLOBE-9-4236 (my farm), day or night. If I'm not in, my wife's name is Alma and my sister-in-law's is Edna. Tell them what you want or for me to call you.

Yours sincerely,

Ivan

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(later) (1957 early April)

Dear Don,

I have just had a phone call from a man you do not know but who is pretty active in ufo matters to say that he has a letter from Admiral Kimball (the ex-sec of Navy, right) from California to say that he will be in NY on the 1st and 2nd May and is not only willing but eager to give us a taped interview on UFOS. He states that he himself has not seen one but that many of his pilots did and that he is keen to air the whole matter. He works for a Washington concern as you doubtles know better than I, but is mostly in Califonnia. I am told he has just been separated from his wife.

We will approach him, but might he not be a possible help to you ?

Yours,

Ivan

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Dear Don,

Despite our rather slight acquaintance and a rather odd predicament in which I find myself and which makes me more than diffident in addressing you at all, I am making so bold as to use your first name. Were it not for the calm counsels of John DuBarry, I dont think I would do so at all.

no such letters on file — nor ck's

There is something I dont get, Don. Long ago, before you took over and when you, John and I met in Washington, I offered the then organizer of NICAP a cheque for a membership plus. It was ignored. I then wrote offering a contribution. This was turned down. After I heard that you had taken over I sent a cheque for $15 for a sub. I have never received anything and that cheque, my accountant finds, was never collected. Later, about the time young Lee Munsie left you, I sent another sub by another cheque. Again nothing, and this was never passed either. I am much mystified and, much more aggravating, have never yet received any publication or other item from NICAP.

Manifestly I am not a member, something must have happened, and my name never gotten on the rolls. I would like to be a member ; have offered any help I may be able to give ; would like to get the material put out ; and herewith send still another cheque -- postdated to give a chance to find out the following.

Perchance I may be undesirable. Dont think, please, that this would offend ! There is probably every reason, as I know perfectly well that I am a bloody nuisance to just about every orthodoxy that I meddle in, and am no more acceptable in most of the unorthodoxies -- poor CSI of NY not excluded ! If so, just say so, but please keep the cheque for general purposes.

Actually, I would really rather like to hear from you

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fairly soon because I have a piece that -- as I see by the last page of your recent confidential Bulletin -- might distress you very much and be rather a nuisance. This, I would like to avoid, but if I cant get to you and am not with you, I would of course just let ride along.

By George; on reading this, it sounds awfully like a bleat. It is not, except that I am a bit mystified and would really like to get a clear statement and from the "horse's" mouth -- if you could spare a moment.

Yours very sincerely,

Ivan

Ivan T. Sanderson.

PS: By the way, I have some pretty tight info' on your Armstrong show that has still been overlooked despite the going-over it has had and the fact that I wrote it all up the night after it happened. I know quite a bit about TV, having just completed my 20th year in it and my tenth on it here in this country.

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27th June, 1958

Major Donald E. Keyhoe
Arlington
Virginia.

Dear Don,

Herewith a little item that Stefan Santesson asked me to forward on to you. You may remember we talked about this.

My august partner -- Bob Duncan -- is forwarding to you from our NY office under separate cover, photocopies of the engineer, Schoenig's, letter and drawing of the alleged V-7. I am sorry it has taken so long but my wife has had to go back to hospital and we have all been a turmoil here anyway with the tv show leaving the air after six and a half years.

The piece on this V-7 business in Stefan's magazine is to be on the stands on the 4th July. We have contacted Long John Nebel and may be going to do a show on it. Also, CSI, which has now split into two, the public or popular organization going back to its nonscientifically-trained founders headed by a Mrs Marilyn Shaw (who is a fireball), and the files and research staying with Lex and Isabel, is planning to take Carnegie Hall for the night of ~~the~~ 16th - 17th August in order to put on Long John's program from there from midnight to 2:30 am. It is the second aniversary of his show and it is to be a tribute to him from CSI. He is advertising it and selling tickets in advance and is going to invite just everybody from contacters to menzels, but is reserving the panel for us to fill. The item for the night is UFOS. Would you come up against say $100 expenses and otherwise be my guest ?

On the panel I want (a) a good thinking sceptic like Sprague de Camp with a name, (2) a scientist, sceptical or otherwise, and prefereably a man like Gamov, (3) an aviation expert, (i.e. you, Sir), (4) a near mystic who can talk -- named; Courtland Hastings, (5) an iconoclastic publicist, for which I make so bold as to name my miserable self ! I will MC the show with warm-up; L.J. of course will MC the broadcast. At 2:30 we take a coffee-break and hot-foot it down to the WOR studio to do the rest from there.

Yours very sincerely,

Ivan

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31st July, 1958.

Major Donald E. Keyhoe
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Dear Don,

Many thanks indeed for yours of the 22nd July. Yes, that letter was odd. I wondered way they kept sending it back. But anyhow you finally got it, and that was the main point.

Everything has reversed itself. First, Long John Nebel is, I hear, losing his show altogether on the 17th Aug. the second anniversary of it's initiation. This may not be so but I have heard it from several sources ; he mooted the possibility to me about a month ago ; and one of the engineers (who usually know everything first) tells me that he is going to be replaced by -- of all miserable messes -- Tex & Jink !!! My God, what is the world coming to.

However, apart from this, my wife went into a very alarming decline about six weeks ago and we have had her in and out of hospital. Along about a week ago I simply had to tell Mrs Shaw (Marylin) of CSI that I could not promise any longer to do anything. Meantime, to be quite frank, LJ had told me that he did not want to go on with the idea unless I would guarantee in writing to organize it. Impasse. Thus, I feel, it is better ~~to try~~ and forget the whole idea, good as it may have been.

We had a very interesting show with LJ on the subject brought up in that article for Stefan, with real live ex-NKVD and Russian Army Officers. There is something there, though I dont know myself quite what, yet. I dont think it has much to do with Ufology but it certainly has with the "communist" "menace". About that we will indeed find out in time. Meantime, we have had several more clips on this damnable so-called A-7. It cant all be pure balls and I look forward to Oberth's opinions, though I surmise that he would be merely platitudinous even to you.

Take heart, we'll dig up something else for NICAP.

Yours sincerely,

Ivan

Ivan T. Sanderson.

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12th August, 1958

Major Donald E. Keyhoe
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Virginia.

Dear Don,

Now I'm the miserable, and thus most humble, correspondent but I, like you, have to make a living apart from the "work" I am expected to do and I have a still very sick little wife. (Also it now appears that this typewriter is at long last as tired as I am ; and that I cannot type.) For all of this my apologies.

(1) I got so sick of rumours, that I picked up the phone and rang Long John Nebel, the night after I wrote you last and got it straight from his mouth. He had "lost" the show but then the owners of Mutual came down on the management with a crash, and he now is sponsored directly by them, has a full contract,he tells me, and the added (as he sees it) advantage of following Tex and Jinx. However, I could not handle the show just now, and he would not work with us unless I did, and it had gotten too late in any case, so we had to decide to put it off any way. He is a very good friend of NICAP and will do this or any other show if you can find time to be on the panel ; in turn, I am not going to be associated with anyone asking you to do so unless we can guarantee you full expenses and some increment however token that may be.

(2) The NY Affiliate. Stefan has been kind enough to show me your mutual correspondence upon this. I had asked him to report to you as the "wily one" and the more experienced in parliamentary procedure. I wholly seconded his report but I ought now to add a few points, or pointers. The first I would like to put on record was that I was the only person present who refused to sign either of the papers they provided, and I told their "executive" group just why. The reasons were, first, that I know three of them and consider them to be utterly unreliable people : second, I had to point out that, as a writer, commentator, and carrier of an official press-card I had to reserve the right to criticize anybody or anything,including NICAP. Miss Bookman (spelling ?) understood clearly as she works in WOR newsroom.

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(3) On the other hand, it so worked out that I was also the only one who approved their (somewhat ridiculous but deadly) preamble which, I may say, took about an hour to read, during debate. My grounds were that its major and only worthwhile point was that nothing joining their organization should do anything contrary to NICAP policy. There were a few others who objected to the stringent and somewhat peurile-sounding clauses they had inserted covering punishment and retribution for those who didn't.

(4) As to your policy, as expressed in your letter of the 4th to Stefan, naturally one approves what you had to do. As set up, and provided they or anybody else does nothing to harm or subvert NICAP's policy and cause, such affiliates must be approved ; at least, as I see it from the byelaws that you quoted to us in Washington.

(5) Nonetheless, I think I should be more specific. For one thing, they have on their "board" a man so troublesome that we had to have him removed from the audience of a radio show once very long ago. This was done on some technical grounds that I dont know of but all I can say about him is that he was one of the most genuine-appearing crackpots I have ever encountered (and this had nothing whatsoever to do with Ufos, in those days) and certainly one of the greatest pests. This gave me a real shock on entering the room. Then, another young man on the group that organized is also known to me and I dont wish to be assodiated with him either, as long as I am at least partially a public servant by being on the air.

(6) Much worse to me -- and I am going to speak quite freely, as I have already made myself publicly quite clear on this point -- was the more than typical organizational fraud executed at that meeting. Those invited were presented with two papers that they were asked to sign but which did nothing but endorse a faite accomplie ; the rules and regulations, and byelaws read by a "dupe", although appearing quite ridiculous, had not been drawn up by a person without legal experience as Miss Bookman went to great pains to say; they had, [illegible] manifestly, drawn up by somebody with very considerable legal experience and in a rather specialized field at that. But much worse to me was the fact that certain other persons whom I have some considerable reason to doubt (their objectives, that is) due to my knowledge of quite other matters, calmly took over the meeting and counted the votes and gave a false report on same -- this latter a very picayune item but nonethless significant to me as a reporter, and particularly as I had made a point of checking on five ballot sheets that I could get my hands on and/or kibitz.)

Don, in a way this is no business of mine but I would just like you to know that I did not like the smell of that meeting, the way in which it was conducted, the people who

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attended it, nor some of the "front" initiaters or any of those characters who counted the votes -- and I am not talking about crackpots or "contacters". I have said many times and in print and over the air that I think there are some people who are using the whole ufo business as cover for other activities and that I think these are plainly subversive. I will not and cannot name names (even if I knew their real ones) because I have no evidence that is worthwhile as yet and although it is the duty of any citizen to keep his ears and eyes out, I know from proper training, that it is not his or her duty to attempt to take over police-duties -- in fact such can be more than just harmful to our security. Nonethless, I do so feel and there are others who feel the same and they are not mere citizens but one and all persons of some standing and certainly of some experience.

It is a little difficult to write all this and it may indeed be worthless to you as I am. I am quite aware, a firebrand in this whole business. Nevertheless, please understand that this particular issue has nothing to do with my pot-shot into the possibility of SOME ufos being Russian-made aeroforms. This is a much more serious matter. There is nothing you can do, and you have most certainly acted in ~~the~~ not only the only but the most correct manner regarding it, as Director of a public organization, but I would like to put my two cents worth in and ask you to keep a weather eye out. You cant deny a man a vote because you disagree with him but he can always cut your throat or blow your house up -- I know; I spent seven years trying to prevent the bastards doing so.

Yours sincerely,

Ivan T. Sanderson.

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Dear Don,

Must say it's a pleasure to be able to write to you at your office without having to think of "things". And anent this, I have just concluded a complete clean-out and refiling in my office and came across some very pertinent Rose-Campbelliana of early date that I had forgotten. She was quite a gal, and was in there digging since long before you took over. Now !

I hear from Stefan by a card today that he talked to you on the phone when in Washington last week.

My young man rang me again to say that the same object was down again the next night and that he had a witness but was taking it very easy in getting him to put anything down or meet me. Now, I had to get a message to my friend thru his family (who are the sanest and toughest) to tell him not to write to me and to cut out the phoning as he was so excited he was laying himself open to a lot of trouble. He is so enthusiastic he has been stretching his position a bit and seems to have forgotten that he is in an armed service. I dont want him to get clobbered as he is a very outstanding man. He will be off-base from time to time and I have got word for him to meet me (dont laugh, but probably in a Temple, as his family are orthodox but he is a complete aetheist and makes use of his religion to get all kinds of privileges in the army !) Where better to discuss the wonders of nature ? I will report.

Ted Bloecher kindly photostated my report and sent a copy down to you -- I hope. I tell you, seeing one of these things, that is the ones you have all been talking about, as opposed to the others that I had seen previously, makes quite a dent in one's ideas and confidence. The damnedest thing, and so bloody quiet and competent-looking ; it gave my wife the creeps. It makes all the difference when you have seen one yourself.

By the way, could I please have a copy of the Investig-

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ator # 3., to complete my file? I either never got it in the Campbell regime or have lost it. Would be appreciated.

I have a nasty little piece coming out in Stefan's mag, and, between you and me and him only, we have a book just about finished, and asked for by one of the biggest book-machine publishers. It ought to make a lot of people vomit.

Isabel says there's a regular flap going on what with angel-hair and all. How do they keep it out of the press so well ?

It is possible that I might be going off all around the continent by car for nine months on a good project, If so, I would stop by you on the way out and suggest that I might go talk to local papers all over (the small ones) and insert ads for NICAP and pay for them on the nail as my contribution. I firmly believe, as per my last letter, that this is a wonderful way of getting to millions who are interested but just dont know what to do. Ads should stress the formal, scientific, backing you have, and ask simply for membership subs, remarking (en passant) that we are anti contacts and all crackpottism. I'll throw a few cents into the pot this way if I do this projected tour. There's nothing like a good big healthy membership.

All the best for NICAP, regards to that excellent young man Dick Hall, and to yourself,

Yours,

Ivan

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Dear Don,

Roy Pinney the famous animal and magazine photographer and I are leaving here on the 16th Jan on the first lap of a 50,000 mile trip by car and latterly plane to do a book, several series of articles, and make some weekly films of our benighted continent and we will be gone for nine months. As I mentioned some time ago in a letter, I believe we might be able to do a sort of roving ambassadorship -- if not a plenipotentiary one -- for NICAP.

We will be in Washington by the afternoon of Sunday the 18th Jan and will be staying through the 20th as I have to go wrestle with the Pentagon on other matters. Will you be thereabouts and if so can we meet for a rather long chat. Perhaps you and your good ladywife would take dinner with us at some place where they know how to cook, if such there be in our capital.

Could you let me know to the above. I also do want to meet Dick Hall.

Greetings for the season and my best wishes for a prosperous New Year first for yourself and secondly for NICAP,

Yours sincerely,

Ivan

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Mr. Richard Hall
National Investigations Committee
1536 Connecticut Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Dick;

Many thanks for your letter and the most exceedingly valuable material. I shall endeavor to call on each and all of these contacts and if I can do so I will submit as full a report as possible. Fortunately, Roy Pinney is not only a pragmatist but almost a professional skeptic so that I shall be able to rely very heavily on him to evaluate the "eggs" concerned.

I enclose some copy suggested for insertion in local newspapers as advertisements. Would you and Don go over this and let me have your approved copy in due course. I have had to change my schedule considerably already and will, between you and me, be in and about Florida until the end of February. I suggest you address me either via my New York office or care of Marx Cheney, Suwannee Gables, Cross City, Dixie County, Florida, up till the 28th of February.

I assume and hope that the man who is digging into the Mallery business is my old and most respected friend, Charles Hapgood. He has taken over the whole thing and is really investigating it and its proponents very thoroughly in his usual manner. Already he has found many discrepancies in Mallery's story. I suggest very strongly that you get in touch with Hapgood anent this at address, Keene Teachers College, Keene, New Hampshire, mentioning my name.

Yours very sincerely,

Ivan

Ivan T. Sanderson

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Plan for telephone "convention"
Requires reply —

Temporary - Seattle, Wash.

30th Aug, 1959

Major Donald E. Keyhoe
N.I.C.A.P.
1536 Connecticut Avnue
Washington 6., D.C.

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Sanderson, Ivan T.

Dear Don,

A voice from the past which will be vilely typed because I am two-thirds horizontal in bed with a slipped disc or some such abomination that laid me low three days ago. I know you have too much mail so I will endeavour to be brief.

(1) Had the pleasure of meeting the APRG group Seattle here under the most active investigator I have yet met -- Bob Gribble. They are absolutely fantastic ; 20 dedicated workers with a nationwide network of working correspondents in 36 states ; sane, solid, and scientific.

(2) I went into my gespiel on NICAP's behalf, as I have been doing for eight months now as I have wandered 38,000 miles down the east coast, around the Gulf, thru Mexico, back up via Texas to Wyoming, southwest to San Diego, and thence zigzag up the coast to here. Don, the reaction here was not happy at all, and I have their permission to mention this to you.

(3) These dear souls, working away here, have about 80% of their members paid-up members of NICAP. They want to cooperate. They have no fees and no money for their work. They have written Nicap several times, sent copies of their forms, offered help, and asked if what they sent was right and acceptable. They have never had even an acknowledgement. (This is not the first time I have encountered the same.)

I recall acknowl. their clips and writing at least 2-3 letters

Would you have this looked in to and, if you can find the correspondence, give them a break ? Here, Don, you have a very wonderful batch of staunch supporters. As I have said several times, those of us who cannot provide NICAP with actual cash cannot do more than try and provide concrete help and thereby get new members and help.

We have more help — do for liaison

I enclose a copy -- and I apologize for its vile carbonaceousness, or is it carbonicity -- of a suggestion that stems from an idea of Bob Gribble's. I dont know what you or CSI or any of the others will think but I would sure like to hear. If you feel it has any merit would you please let me know, to my NY address.

I have tried to do what I can as I have travelled around. I have found enormous popular interest in serious ufology in all walks of life, and all states, and I have given out NICAP's address by word of mouth and written slips everywhere. I have put a few ads in local papers but I fear me the press is not yet ready to be of much use except where a sighting is hot and

(over)

Seattle, Washington

30th August, 1959

To : Don Keyhow (NICAP)
Isabel Davis (CSI)
Idabel Epperson
Bob Gribble (APRG)

Dear Friends,

Please forgive the typing but I am two-thirds flat in bed with a slipped disc or some sort of bust back. Also, this typewriter may not take this number of copies properly -- in which case I will do something. (Have just looked at the carbons and they are very bad so I shall try to get this stenoed but will finish all I have to say in this original in case I cannot do so)

A remark made by Bob Gribble ~~the first night I had the~~ pleasure of meeting him when I hit Seattle recently settled in my mind and rankled during two nights and a day. This was to the (very obvious, once said) effect that the Contactees have now very effectively, efficiently, and successfully organized on a national basis, and that, since "contacteeism" is the greatest menace to Ufology, we ufologists should get together. Bob's remark resulted in an idea which I herewith would like to put before all of you.

The following proposition does not envisage the establishment of any new organization. To appraise its validity and apprise those who should be interested, I have to give some background and detail. This, as follows :-

(1) The armed forces of our own and other governments are not exactly giving aid or encouragement to serious ufological studies ; at the same time, they are not censoring it.

(2) The Press, though usually ridiculing Ufology and usually muddling it with "Saucerism", is more misguided than antagonistic, and is slowly showing signs of taking a more serious attitude. The leaders are Radio, followed by the slick mags, and then by TV, with the dailies trailing far behind. But again, the Press is not outrightly hostile.

(3) The public is actually highly sympathetic, very much interested, but greatly misled. I would say that far more than 50% of the public "believes" there are ufos, and the higher the education of the nonprofessional military or press man, the more interested he or she is, and the more likely he is to prefer ufology to saucerdom.

(4) Established Science takes almost the same view of ufology as Established Religion and, in some ways, the Military Forces. The attitude of all three is that their terms of reference to anything and everything are defined. If it is within their bailiwick, they will consider it, and handles it within the framework of their methodology and their mandate. By this I mean that a scientist like an Airforce officer has a defined job to do, and neither is going to make a statement about anything that is without his competence. Science is not hostile ; it is sceptical.

(5) Established Religion -- and notably, it seems to me from reading, the Protestant philosophy -- is not only friendly to ufological investigation but, as manifested by such as the Rev. Ballard, most deeply interested in the new branch of life sciences.

The above would seem to me to leave us with only one group that is not only harmful but actually hostile to the concept of attempted investigation of ufos along orthodox scientific lines. These are the Saucerians (for lack of a better collective title) and especially the professional contactees. Not only are these people exposing serious scientific ufological study to ridicule, they are openly hostile to its intent, and are now deliberately (see reports of the Daniel Green convention in July in L.A.) attempting to subvert its objectives and are decrying its influence as being inimical to "truth" (as they so define) and human welfare generally. I personally contend that such fire should be met with fire.

Bob Gribble's suggestion thus acquires especial emphasis. Unless Ufologists at least form a loose association regarding general policy, they are going to be individually swamped in both ridicule and accusation. There comes then the vital question; how can ufologists draw closer together and exchange ideas ? The obvious answer, from a purely organizational (mechanical) point of view, is to call a Convention.

This would at first appear to be impossible. How, one might naturally ask could those currently interested in and working in ufological investigation afford (even if none of us were working people) ~~afford~~ the monetary outlay and time to travel to any central point for such a convention. For instance, should such be called in a central point like St.Louis, we have calculated that just for cost alone each individual attending would have to ~~be~~ spare a minimum of $1000 by the time everything be taken into account. (I have run conventions, and I think I know what I am talking about.) However, there is one way we can get around this, and perhaps do a better job than has ever yet been achieved at any convention of an ordinary nature.

(a) There are at the moment, to the best of our knowledge, eight (8) leading, outstanding, and active ufological groups in the United States. These are :-

✓	National	- NICAP	-- Don Keyhoe	- Washington, D.C.
✓	Northwest	- APRG	-- Bob Gribble	- Seattle, Washington
✓	Southwest	-	-- Idabel Epperson	- Los Angeles, Cal.
?	N.Central	-	-- Dr.David Waterbury	- Marion, Illinois
✓	S.Central	- APRO	-- Coral Lorensen	- Alamogordo, N.Mex.
contactee	Northeast	- APIS	-- Bob Barry	- Orlean, New York.
contactee	Southeast	- SPACE	-- Norbert Garritty	- Coral Gables, Fla.
✓	New York	- CSI	-- Lex Mebane	- New York, N.Y.

These cover the country; official Washington; and the more international aspects through CSI.

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x $5 = $800
TIVE MEMBERS.
+
$1 = $160.
RTICIPANTS.
L $960.

(b) Each of these organizations appears to have about 20 really active participating members, who regard the work as a 'hobby' and who normally carry the cost of the work. No group that I know of has an "angel", but all that I have been in contact with have a membership of between 100 and 300; and, among the non-active members, are usually another fifty or so who will, in a pinch and if chided, lend a hand or subscribe $2 from time to time.

(c) In the course of my own personal business, I have had quite a lot of rather exceptional dealings with the telephone companies. These companies are extremely active, forward thinking, publicity and promotion conscious, scientific and technically advanced, always open to new ideas, and prepared to spend money on new ideas. On half a dozen occasions their representatives have sought me (a very small businessman indeed) out and made my firm really extraordinary offers -- like laying a special line to my farm, putting a link line in between it and my New York office and so forth. Further, my company has made considerable use of their "Conference Lines", and I have on occasion had four people on conference as widely separated as NY, Texas, New Jersey, and Chicago.

AY NIGHT ?

(d) It is my belief that, if I approach the telephone syndicate (which it is) on my return from this trip with the following proposition, it will be possible to set up a unique experiment. This is a Convention of our eight groups (plus any others thought worthy and who want to come in) entirely via telephone, for several hours on one or two successive nights, after midnight, central standard time, engineered and MCed thru a central point (like St.Louis; Washington, D.C.; or New York). I believe this could be done for a maximum of $1000 per night.

(e) The idea would be to have a set and approved memorandum and agenda in the hands of all groups weeks in advance. To have a "board" set up by the telphone compny with numbered lights corresponding to each group's line by number and name of city ; to have a producer, director, and recording secretary on hand in central in addition to the engineer, and for the proceedings to be regulated by time within reasonable limits. This is standard radio procedure and not difficult

(f) Each group would assemble at the telephone company studio in their city at the appointed time, with agenda. The spokesman would be the President, Director, or "sparkplug" aided by his or her PR officer. Any and all members who wish should be invited to attend ; the proceedings should be both broadcast to that audience in each point, recorded there, and in central for the record, thus doing away with a recording secretary. Each group would be given so many minutes in order to comment on each point on the agenda ; and then time would be allotted to each to make comments etc according to the first who presses a button showing up on a red light in central. Other details of operation should be obvious to our groups.

(g) I am sure that by such means a full convention could be held at a minimum cost without any of us having to so much as move from our homes or waste a working day. I also believe that the telephone companies might take a deep interest in this experiment as being a possible prototype of a new form of business for them. Anyhow, there would be no harm in investigating the idea.

This is the idea resultant upon Bob Gribble's observation. I have outlined it to him in the presence of three of his most active cooperaters ; I have outlined it to a friend who is an ex-communication officer ; I have discussed it with a member of a telephone company. All have said they feel it worthwhile investigating, and the last two tell me it is technically not only feasible but fairly simple. I would therefore like to ask your help in the following manner :-

(i) Would you consider this ? Discuss it, and let me have a note to my office (325 West 45th St., NY.Y.36) as soon as you can, saying whether you approve the suggestion that I pursue the matter further on your individual behalves.

(ii) If you approve, and have the time ; would you also send me any ideas you have for additional gimmicks, any objections, or other comments. Among such, I am particularly keen to know your ideas as to where central should be. My feeling is, perhaps naturally, that it should be organized in Washington, D.C. and have NICAP (as the only professedly and specifically "national" organization) as moderators.

(iii) If by any chance all groups should agree that the idea is worth pursuing, I would contact the telephone people immediately, and get their thoughts, plus prices.

(iv) If these were favourable, I would immediately inform you all and then ask for items for the Agenda, at the earliest. These would be correlated, assembled, copied, and refered back to all of you for emendation, addition, and discussion. This process would take some weeks and probably require at least three or four interchanges.

This has of necessity had to be very long but I wished to be explicit at the outset. It is nothing more than a preliminary suggestion. Could you spare an hour or so to give me a reply ?

Sincerely yours,

Ivan T. Sanderson

Ivan T. Sanderson.
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4th Nov, 1959

Major Donald E. Keyhoe
National Investigations Committee
1536 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Don,

More or less just got back from the trip with an 890 mile dash the last day to satisfy the publisher. We did 38,000 in all and went to Alaska and the NWT via the new road to its very bulldozer end between the Great Slave and Great Bear Lakes ; the first car over the Mackenzie River. Quite a trip and lots of wildlife.

I'm now in a shambles what with 50,000 words on a deadline for the 16th, the mess that has accumulated while I have been away, a company meeting two weeks hence, and a newsbeat in West Virginia after that. Then things ought to settle down a bit.

I have discussed this Telephone idea with several more and have CSI's ok. As soon as I am back in harness I will go see the telephone people and get some facts. Epperson's group in LA are very keen and one of their government physicist chappies has suggested trying to tie in two groups in Australia, one in New Zealand, one in England, and two in South America. Why not ? Also he suggests that the telephone people might well not charge, in view of the novelty and publicity. Well, leave all that to me to start.

Lex makes a good point about "people who may feel they have been left out". I see his point but unless they are groups, and solid, and willing to state on paper that they want to come in and are not going to start a lot of "going to Venus" stuff, who cares if they are peeved. The NAM does not toady to every individual businessman ; why should we give free services and a platform to such as pal Gray Barker ?

Don, I hope you are not distressed by what I wrote you from Seattle. I know only too well your problems and what a terrific job you have been carrying, and I also know how, with all honesty, many things that people say so often just dont come out as they really were. I was merely reporting what they had said to me in the hope that the information might be useful. I have no axe to grind and all I want to do is to help. Sometimes passing on some alleged criticism can help just as much as a dish of praise.

Anent all this, I have done what I can by way of proselatying (g.d. cant spell any more, try again) proselatizing (no, no good again) PROSELYTIZING.... wow. Put a few ads in papers but the situation around the country is funny. Everybody seems to take Ufos perfectly seriously and assume that the Airforce knows all about them and has the whole but under control. Most of them dont seem to see any necessity any longer for an organization to dig into the matter. I had a hard time with the public. The serious Ufo groups are quite another matter but, Don, they dont have any more money than we do. I have struck quite a few really rich types who want to put money into things but most as mystics and the others simply will not go for any fight with the Services. So there we are.

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Should we get this phone convention idea going it (a) will not cost you a cent, (b) could bring in memberships, (c) could push some monied sponsors over the fence to your side, (d) can do no harm, (e) would be a terrific and legitimate publicity outlet, (f) would require only that you -- NICAP -- ACT as the senior organization, preside over it officially, while we do the technical dirty work. Anyhow we'll do what we can.

Will see you on my first trip to D.C. which should be in early December.

Most sincerely,

Ivan

Sanderson, Ivan

IVAN T. SANDERSON, [redacted].
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3rd April, 1960

Dear Don,

Heartiest congratulations on your and NICAP's recent successes. I know these are no replacement for money but they ought to make you feel good.

I've pursued the idea of a Ufo Convention by phone and after long consultations with the phone people who were greatly interested, they turned it down because they had already tried it for a group of large chemical people and they had found simply, that the technicalities were too great for even they to overcome at present and still be able to produce anything good enough to publicize. In fact, they confided in me that it was a dismal failure.

Howevef, they suggested that I go to NBC or CBS, and see if they would not do it by international short-wave radio as a gimmick. They do have the facilities and could make the time available if they wanted. They could do it on closed circuit but cut us in from time to time onto their networks either national or international. The telephone executives confirmed their engineers' opinion and suggestion, and have offered to help me approach the networks. (Very decent of them).

This I shall pursue, and will let you know.

I've been out of the running for two months with what the quacks called "complete exhaustion" but am now back in harness and battling half a dozen long overdue deadlines. You know what this means.

Hope to see you soon,

Yours,

Ivan

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8th Feb, 1961.

Mr. Richard Hall
Secretary, N.I.C.A.P.
1536 Connecticut Av. N.W.
Washington 6., D.C.

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Dear Dick,

will paraphrase report
"sent to personal friend"
ck Stan KGW

A voice profoundly from the past. You are doubtless even busier than I am, so I will make this as short as possible.

About a month ago I gave a talk on UFOS to NYSIB merely at the request of my very old and respected friend, that exceedingly "naughty" old Nordic, Hans Stefan Santesson, in order to take a crack at the Adamskiites. (In this I seem to have succeeded as a fair percentage of NYSIB members resigned two days later !)

At that meeting the one and only Lex Mebane graciously showed up and he handed me a pink slip afterwards. This was a radioletter to you from one, Charles C. Edmonds of a thing called P.A.P.I. (OREGON)

I found this most interesting and, as it dovetails rather neatly with quite a lot of other data that I now have from the area on the general subject of ABSMs (as we call all types Abominable Snowmen and alleged allies now) and, as I am just finishing up a rather large book on that subject worldwide, I would like very much to include in this book the body of that document.

Points arising : (1) May I do this ? (2) could I, if desired, quote the sender's name, and/or yours -- with or without NICAP acknowledgement and (3) have you anything further from this johnny that I might add?

I go to press on the 17th of this month February, and I am including a paraphrasing of the facts as given in any case but I would naturally much prefer to have permission to actually quote. Could you, and would you in such a case, give me permission to so quote, or how should I go about trying to get such permission ? I dont really want to get involved with the said Mr. Edmonds but will, if need be, attempt to do so. However, "layman" have little notion of TIME, and we are now counting almost in hours.

To speed things up, could you grab a phone and ring me collect as soon as you have digested this, on CIRCLE-6-0430, which is my day and night switchboard ? I have all my other phones blocked off but am now leaving a clear for you on that number. I would be more than just grateful.

We'll talk then,
Regards to Don,
Yrs,
Ivan

IVAN T. SANDERSON
325 WEST 45TH STREET
NEW YORK 36, N. Y.

PHONES: CIRCLE 6-1387
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P.O.Box.316
Blairstown
New Jersey.

Major + Dick

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EK will record.

Not yet thanked.

15th July, 1961

SANDERSON, IVAN T.

Major Donald E. Keyhoe
N.I.C.A.P.
1536 Connecticut Avenue N.W.
Washington D.C.

Dear Don,

Being a freelance writer these days, and you know what that is if you start out without a penny of capital, I am afraid this is the best I can do. This makes me feel awful for it ought to have three more zeros tacked on to it. Honestly, there are some times when I really do wish that I was a rich man.

We have racked our brains for anybody we know who is rich and who might be persuaded to help in a proper way but I am afraid we have not come up with a single suggestion. Rich people are very difficult in my opinion and usually it seems to me very bad businessmen : they'll give oodles to all sorts of crackpot schemes but just will not even listen to a serious cause -- vide: Messrs Belk, et alii backing Meinherr Townsend Brown all these years.

I am going to call Hugh Macpherson in W.Va. this evening just to ask whether he has appealed for you, and if not will do an impassione beeper interview on the subject. Of course that's the one state that wants money more than any but, My God, isn't there one man willing to back such an important enquiry ? I have also tried to get Barry Faber -- a most up and coming young man with a five-a-week show on WINS -- as he is a fighter and most stimulating, and has a growing audience. (If only Dave Garroway had not retired !)

Dont know what else I can do but if you can think of anything for Gawd's sake scream -- ring me collect here in New Jersey ; the new number is simply 201-459-4236 (via Belvidere), and my phone is switched on from 11:30 am to midnight.

Why in the heck doesn't the Navy help ? The special boys at Annapolis have completely open minds and are working along "way, way out Besides, they take the dimmest view of the Airforce ! If Maurice Jessup was not lying about their treatment of him, they ought to jump to help, quietly, unofficially, and through channels. The funny thing to me is that when I lunched with the top Airforce publicity office boys in the Pentagon early in 1959 they volunteered the intelligence that they (at least personally) were all 100% in favor of UFOs and of your battle. I went away more than mystified.

Don, we'll do anything we can.
Best to Dick,
Yrs,
Ivan

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P.O.Box.316., Blairstown,

21st Feb, 1962.

Mr. Richard Hall
N.I.C.A.P.
1536 Connecticut Av.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Dick,

A number of points. First, I'm sorry that I have been so long in answering, or rather writing to you but the Wade Wellman bit rather threw me because I had come back with the impression that you were going to think the proposition over and come up with something on paper. Also, I have gotten into a sort of monumental tangle made insufferable by my poor old car letting me down for the first time in 165,000 miles ; and, without my transport, I'm like a lion on an iceberg.

(1) The enclosed should be self-explanatory. I have tried to give Wade a picture of my problems with this project ; the straight facts ; and the (meager) limits of what I can offer. Perhaps you could be so kind as to give him a hand in answering me so that I may go to my superiors with something concrete. If there _is_ anything in print stating that the hearings are or were ever promised or scheduled -- even some press clips -- I think I can get over the first hurdle. Perhaps then we might try for a contract and some modest advance at least so that he could work away quietly at the hard part under your guidance.

Should the hearings be open, even I can get in as I am a Special Representative of NANA, with a card. If they are closed, it will be entirely up to you boys, and I presume you would be permitted to have your own recorder. Then it would, of course, be up to Don to say what can and what cannot be published but we would ask that he give us _some_ exclusive. This of course would not be newswise but I do feel that it might be a nice thing for NICAP and Don to know that there was an already-made vehicle for whatever comment he might want to make and that he could legitimately make, which would be subject to his full approval and editing _before_ it went to press -- something that you never can guarantee newswise. Please consider this one.

I'm not shot with this project yet by any means ; its no skin off my nose, financially or in any other way ; but I do think it might be a useful tool and possibly very good, clean advertising for NICAP, that might pay-off for NICAP. You need a good, slap-up, slam-bam history of NICAP to capture the interest of the general public -- not just the Ufologists. If Wade can write copy as well as he can letters, he might, with help from you at your end and us from ours, come up with just that. You'll have to make your own arrangements, if any, with Wade. (He sounds awfully sane and nice, incidentally.)

(2) There is a point. If Hearings do come off, every newsman in Xandom and out is going to stick his sensation-seeking news-NOSE into the fray. NANA is not going to stand outside either, and I've staked a claim on anything ufological with them long ago. I know a bit more about it than most of the boys, and I certainly take it more seriously and am more sympathetic to our cause than most but I THE MAG! → "Time" is going to be of the essence and perhaps the deciding factor. Filing stories, I (or anybody else on our side) AM going to be in competition with everybody. Where we could get in is with the full, and real background. This must be competently, cogently, and officially written up and standing ready in advance. NICAP alone must prepare this, and NICAP must release it. However, it is better to give it to a friend than a foe or just some damnfool, facetious reporter or wire service -- you know full well what they do with such material ! At the same time, I have for long been convinced that a book, if it comes out fast enough after an event of real importance, not only carries more weight than all the news stories, but has more impact because in it the principals can say what they really think and know. I never mind sticking my neck out but I do abhorr being caught with my pants down -- and the newsbeats I've missed because I did not have the machinery ready in advance and on a bet, make me cry. Think this one over too.

(3) This chap in Oregon. I am, Dick, most extremely sorry if I have gotten you into still another headache. I thought I behaved correctly, and I certainly behaved according to normal behaviour publishingwise, but the man seems to be a real menace and shows strong signs of paranoia. I take it from the last para of your letter to him that I am not the only "trouble" you have had with him. Anyhow, the letter I wrote him was composed by our battery of high-level copyright attorneys who advise that he hasn't got a leg to stand on viz-a-viz either myself or your goodselves.

Just for fun, we could call him on his kookery if he persists. Where is his evidence of his ABSM ? I can always go to those radio chaps he mentioned ! Let me know if you want help to rid yourself of him and I'll go to work (after consulting you, of course.)

Do what you can with Wade, and let me know.

All the best,

Ivan

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2nd March, 1962

Mr. Richard Hall
N.I.C.A.P.
1536 Connecticut Av.
Washington 6., D.C.

Dear Dick,

Many thanks for yours of the 27th Feb. I fancy the enclosed says everything I have to say at the moment. I have sent Wade's copy on to Chilton with a very firm request that they read it per se or rather then appraise it per se ; secondly reappraise the whole project in view of the letters from Congressmen.

I shall of course keep you posted by copies of all correspondenc and not only because you are a friend of Wade's but because I shall continue to consider this project a NICAP affair.

I have had another thought. I am insisting that all authors I take to Chilton have an agent of highstanding before they sign a contract. My agent, the oldest and probably the most respected in the country -- Paul R. Reynolds & Son -- have very kindly offered to take on any who do not already have an agent. The partner who deals with me and my brood is Ollie (Oliver G.) Swan, and a nicer guy never was born. If Chilton still cannot see their way to contracting for this book, I would like to give Wade's material to Ollie and ask him to hawk it around. He knows all the editors in N.Y. and Norton came very very close indeed to taking my mss on UFOs but I am practically certain from their abject sprawling on sending it back, that they were pressured into doing so by, presumably, your old pals. They might well take Wade's book.

At the same time, I must add this : that mss of mine went the full rounds and every publisher took the trouble to write great huge letters of apology for not taking it, and going into great sheets of statistics on the sale of UFO books, and all sorts of other gyrations that made even my agent begin to wonder. Of course I was in and out of the Pentagon quite a lot at that time and discussed UFOs with both the USAF public relations boys and the Navy informally many times -- in fact it was standard lunchtime fare in the senior officers' mess. Also, I was and am accredited to the Dept. of Defense. Also a number of my friends in the services have at one time or another been hauled in and asked suddenly if they know me and why ! Then, my wartime status was odd in that I served both navies (British and US) and was checked and printed by every known intelligence agency in existence, and the FBI, Un.Am.Act.Com. have a fat file of my findings on potential subversion ~~in~~ AMONG "saucer-

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ological practitioners". Most significant of all might, however, be a series of articles on the scientific possibilities of, for, and how UFOs. I know I got awfully close to some bones in that series as I was asked to do quite an elaboration of some points by my friends in the Pentagon. They were so cagey that I could not for the life of me spot just which were the points they were after, or which aspects of certain points rather. (Mind you, every single person in that lot, professed from the outset not only to believe in UFOs but almost to a man told of personal sightings, or flurries in centers and so forth!) What apparently they did not like was when I got on to the subject of the evolution of intelligence in life forms on this planet. I got the distinct impression that it was the fact that I am just about the only biologist involved in this business, that alarmed them. Maybe its in my field that the "horrible secret" is to be looked for. I think of endless possibilities that could be scaring the pants off all the services, but I cant for the life of me say just what the main point is.

Maybe they'd rather have a book like Wade's, and be accused of covering up, than see something from an entirely new angle that they dont know how to fight. By this I mean I may have said somethings that will make other people ask a lot of entirely new questions, and ones that might be altogether too close to their real problem. They are certainly a weird bunch of schizos : but then again, from many years intelligence training I am quite aware that they may have been leading me on to see just how much I have figured out or even if I realise what I have ferreted out at all that is in the ultra-sensitive area. (I have been at pains never to publish any of the facts or cases they told me about, and not just for security reasons but because they may have been plants and pure fabrications just to see what I would do with them.)

Anyhow we might give Wade's sample chapters a fling around if Chilton does not want to contract and then at least we will know one way or the other before he wastes any more time.

I apologize for the state of the attached letter but I proceeded to knock a large drink over just when I had finished a day's writing and all the letters were waiting to be sealed. I am not a touch-typist and am alone, so simply cannot face retyping !

Yours sincerely,

Ivan

Ivan T. Sanderson.

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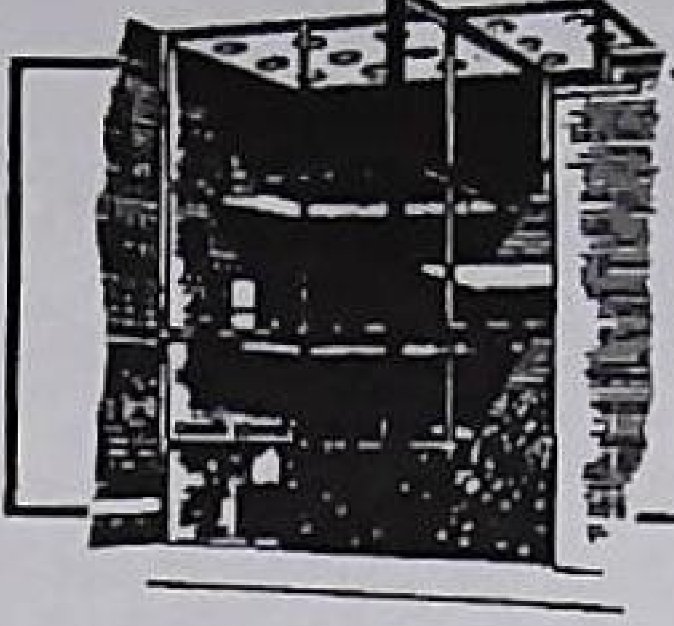

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Mr. Richard Hall
N.I.C.A.P.
1536 Connecticut Av.
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Dear Dick,

Wade Wellman suggested that you might like to have these photostats back. So, herewith.

I'm scheduled to be in Washington from Saturday the 2nd June till Sunday the 10th. Hope we can meet. I will have Walter McGraw with me. My major project is our (Chilton's)annual sales conference on the 2nd. and then the Booksellers Convention at the Shoreham from Sunday till friday the 8th., but I have a lot else to do.

Walter and I will be staying at the Hotel Ebbitt (where I have gone since the war), but I will also be staying alternate nights at the Park Sheraton with 'Doc' McDowell, our senior editor. A bit involved but....

See if Don could find a free evening to have dinner with you and Walter and I. Walter's an oldtime crime-reporter and is doing a book for us that ought to interest you. (He is also my partner in radio and tv and movie production -- a very solid egg.)

Look forward to seeing you-all.

Yrs,

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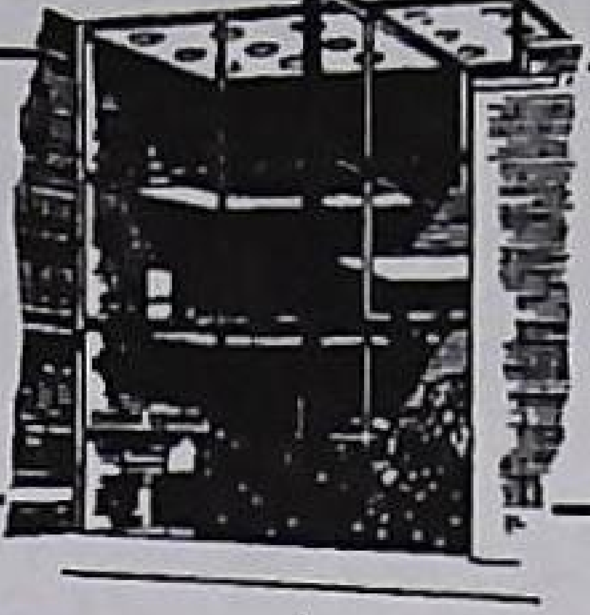

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Friday the 13th July, 1962

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Dear Dick,

Sure glad to hear that you got the Special out. I waited to hear what you found out costwise and would have pitched in if we could have bettered your printer's figures. Meantime, we have had some rather interesting contacts with Mr. Belk. This, however, I am leaving to Walter as they know each other better than I do and the one relies on the other on past experiences, whereas I am merely another oddball along the line to him.

Your project is obviously of the essence for us who are interested in UFOs and fairly sanguine that something will happen about them during our lifetime -- the H-B. excluded. However, and this is a big one, I have to be perfectly frnak and state now that I dont see a hope in heaven of getting any standard publisher to even consider it.

I think our efforts before on such a thing as the history of NICAP (which is something with a history) should have shown the complete lack of interest in the subject by the public at large , the publishers in particular, and the press by (apparently) instruction. Dick, there is no sale for this nor for any part of Ufology even unless and until the break comes : then, they will want the purely ufological (not saucerian) facts, and I am afraid that nobody is going any longer to care about the "researchers"; with the possible exception of NICAP.

It's got so that unless I can offer a potential sale of at least 25,000 in the first year in this field, nobody will listen to me.

Personally I have said, and I'll say it again and again, I think the break will come in our time and all I am trying to get is a full and explicit MSS completely edited to go to the printers, and keep it on ice, AND UP TO DATE, so that when, if ever that day does dawn, we'll be able to get it out in a week and scoop everybody.

Sorry to be so dreary but my eyes are no longer (if they ever were) starry, and I have to say what I think from my very limited experience and even if it is all off the rails.

(I did the show for Godfrey with Dave the day before, thanks to Don's kindness in changing his date so that I could meet a deadline.)

Where's your book on the Civil War ?.........

Yers, Ivan.

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Mr. Wade Wellman
P.O.Box.744
Chapel Hill
N.C.

Dear Wade,

How nice to hear from you again. I saw Dick Hill a couple of weeks back and enquired after you-all.

Now, as to your projects. Fiction is not in my field at all so I am passing your letter on to my 'boss' -- Mr. Elliott McDowell- who, if anybody in the business, knows the drill. Rest assured he will give you a good reading and advice. I would be quite useless as I dont like, let alone read, fiction of any kind!

Stick to the fiction as UFO books are O-U-F-out.

I'm asking 'Doc' McDowell to drop you a note if he feels any of your suggestions might fit some bill.

Forgive my brevity but I am snowed under with paper due, mostly, to having been ill and in hospital, and getting over it for two months recently. Once you get behind in this business you are sunk.

All the best,
Yours,

Ivan

Ivan T. Sanderson.

People should not make such confessions as this.

(Wade Wellmans notation)

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Mr. Richard Hall
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Dear Dick,

First of all, how does my annual subscription card stand ? Next, I need two more copies of the Report for my own use -- I got five initially,but they have all 'gone',like everything else around here ! I'd like to send you one cheque for eveything and try to add a modest donation as before.

You ask for ideas as to how to promote NICAP and the 'cause'. OK, first off, have you any sort of one page subscription or membership blanks, that tell in a couple of paragraphs what you are and what you do and what a potential joiner will get in return ? I have cards for FATE Magazine like this and 'sell' or give away for presents some dozens per annum. It's very difficult to get anybody who expresses interst to write in for membership, but give him or her a slip of paper and (when they sober up) they wonder what it is, sometimes remember, and may then even make out a cheque and send it in. You probably have some of these already. If so, send me a batch. If you dont, I'd suggest getting one out -- in a very dignified, one page or even letter form. You see, I meet and deal with a very wide and varied lot of people ; not just local or regional groups, which can be whipped together into sub-organizations as your sub-committee have been so successful in doing.

As to general promotion of "the cause" (isn't that awful !), I have said for years but will say again that I feel the US, British, Chilean, Brazilian, Argentinian, and other NAVIES are your greatest allies. They are the only ones who have come right out with it -- vide: the USN's OPNAV.94-P-38. Perhaps there is some political thing here or Don is caught in an official net, but ONR is most sympathetic as are the Brazilianos and Argentinos. Why battle the airforces any longer ? They seem to be under instructions and just lie or voluntarily make monkeys of themselves. The armies dont seem to be involved but the Navies are. As an example,it was the Navy at Patuxent that came out with the report and then the USAF calmly comes along and tells them that their radar was off kilter, they couldn't read it anyway, and they were hallucinated or something. Come, come!

And while we are on this whole business, I believe that we have discovered why you people think my ideas as to what UAOs are is crazy. We found a 'quotes-misquotes' of a piece I once wrote long ago in which I had stated that, among a lot of other things, there is no known or logical reason why some (repeat, some) of them could not be sort of space-beings or entities, with or without intelligence, whatever that may be, and ranging from that of a DNA molecule to something better than us. I never said that they all were, or even could be. But, I'm afraid, we in this country have a genius for cutting out or ignoring the qualifying words in almost any statement. I call this "readersdigestism" !

However, as the next approach to the problem I most strongly suggest trying to coopt the biologists -- or what we may call the life-scientists -- who have open minds. After all, if some of them (UAOs) are machines, 'manufactured' and run by intelligencies, said intelligencies, even if puffs of gas or a glob of energy are 'alive' as we define the word.

You people have got far too many Divines on your Masthead. Nobody can afford to be against religion, and if you stick with any concept of the Almighty you cant go wrong, BUT....... NICAP is slowly being categorized as a semi-mystical outfit, and not only by the public. And personally I dont think that Frank Edwards name does you any more good than mine might ! We publicists are looked upon askance and with horror by everybody. Only officialdom seems to trust us. And, Frank goes much farther out on limbs of all kinds than even I do.

I dont know if you could ever do it tactfully but I'd put your airline pilots, scientists, retired admirals, and USAF boys up front on your masthead ; and try to get some engineers too. (Couldn't get a Congressman or two to join and let his name go on it too, could you?) Afficianados thoughout the world look to NICAP as the fountainhead of commonsense, pragmatism, and near-scientific adjudication of the whole business -- dont let it slip into the realm of belief, religion, and mysticism. Comments I have had shot back at me during the past year have alarmed greatly on this score..... a sort of "So what is this ? a new Billy Graham outfit ?".

Last suggestion : how about running a regular section on foreign reports from what you consider to be reliable sources. I know only too well that the great American public is almost totally disinterested in anything that does not take place in their own backyard or with which they cant 'identify', but your members are rather different. I dont mean endless so-called 'sightings' which in my opinion are so boring they deflect more people than they attract. Nor do I mean petty arguments like that going on ad nauseam between Menzel and Michele. I mean solid stuff like that issued by the Brazilian Navy, and the Swedish semi-official organization.

As an international outfit (as per the International Garment Workers Union !) you'd have much greater appeal than as a chauvinistic outfit battling its own Airforce.

You asked for ideas, however wild. You've got 'em, brother.

Yours very sincerely, as always,

Ivan T. Sanderson.

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Radio and Television

WPIX Revising Video Schedule Tomorrow—Sanderson to Offer Program on WNBC

Station WPIX announces a complete revision of its television schedule, effective tomorrow. The changes were said by Robert L. Coe, manager of the video outlet, to be designed to meet the fall and winter looking and listening habits of television audiences. Mr. Coe added, however, that the revised schedule also would result in "some reduction in station personnel."

The major programs affected by the schedule shake-up are as follows: the series of Alexander Korda pictures, which have been offered on Sunday nights, will be presented at 8 P. M. Fridays; the Gloria Swanson program will shift from Wednesday afternoons to 8 P. M. Thursdays; the Frank Paris puppet program will be seen at 5.05 P. M., Monday through Wednesday, instead of on Saturdays.

Ivan Sanderson, naturalist and explorer, will start a daily program of his own next week. He will be heard at 9:15 A. M., Mondays through Fridays over WNBC, his offering being a replacement for the John McCaffrey item known as "Room 416." Mr. Sanderson plans to emphasize "the unusual and baffling aspects of the world of nature," according to WNBC.

"Take It or Leave It" will be tested for its television potentialities on Sunday, Sept. 26, when the program originates from New York. For the one time the quiz show will be presented on both the radio and television facilities of NBC.

WNYC will devote the hours between 1:30 and 4 P. M. on Monday to coverage of the Salute to the New York Press at the Golden Anniversary Exposition in Grand Central Palace. The program will be introduced by Mayor O'Dwyer and Grover Whalen and participants will include representatives from fourteen of New York's newspapers, including Meyer Berger and Alice Pentlarge of THE NEW YORK TIMES; Frederick Gutheim of The New York Herald Tribune; Samuel Grafton of The Post and Bronx Home News; Lowell Limpus of The Daily News; Harry Hershfield of The Daily Mirror and Murray Davis of The World Telegram.

WHN, which next Wednesday changes its call letters to WMGM, will broadcast the play-by-play descriptions of the twelve official games of the New York Giants football team, with Connie Desmond and Bert Lee at the microphones. The first game on the regular schedule will be the meeting with the Boston Yankees at Boston, on Thursday, Sept. 23. WJZ-TV will carry the game for the television audience.

The annual "Two Hours of Stars" program broadcast on Thanksgiving and Christmas afternoons from 4 to 6 o'clock, this year will be heard on the National Broadcasting Company network. In previous years it was broadcast over CBS. Already signed for the Thanksgiving Day show are Jack Benny, Red Skelton, Jimmy Durante and Garry Moore. Don Ameche will be master of ceremonies for both programs.

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What about this angle??

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"A number of people lately have announced contacts with persons alleged to have come to earth from other planets via spacecraft," said John. "George Adamski, among others, has written a book about it. And Howard Menger, a sign painter of Highbridge, N.J., has reported on my program that he has had conversations with beings from [illegible] appear only at night; their craft land only in out-of-the-way places; and they warn their contacts never to approach them while carrying any weapons or even flashlights."

"Furthermore, these 'space visitors,' preaching a doctrine of brotherly love, are reported to harp constantly on the suggestion that we should abandon our experimentation with atom and hydrogen bombs. Also, they are said to be giving secret instructions of some kind to their earth people contacts.

"But most suspicious of all is this: Persons who say they have had such contacts insist that occasionally they recognize 'people from other planets' working in our factories and riding along our highways in cars. How do they identify these individuals as being from outer space?

Sworn Secrecy

"Well, they tell you that this is a secret. But some have gone so far as to say there are hidden means of identification, including 'code words' involved."

Therefore, Long John posed these queries: "Would true spacemen intent on benefiting humanity behave in this fashion? On the other hand, how would Russian psychological warfare agents behave?"

"Just in the manner you have described," said Sanderson.

Why?

Landing Places

First of all, to establish secret landing places for their craft in out-of-the way places in this country. Secondly, to gain the services of well meaning and highly credulous dupes. And thirdly, to undermine subtly our will to protect ourselves with nuclear weapons.

Sanderson, who has made a name for himself on radio and TV, and is now appearing weekly on the Garry Moore program, argues that it would be silly to dismiss all reports of such contacts with "spacemen." "There is now quite a considerable mass of such reports," he said. "Some of these alleged contacts have been witnessed by as many as six persons at a time, in one case even by a Princeton University physicist. So there is a definite possibility that some form of craft have landed here, unknown to the authorities.

"It must be remembered that our radar screen has two wide loopholes: at the rooftop level and straight up. If any other country has developed very fast aeroforms than can go up to the limits of the atmosphere and then descend straight down, these craft could hop OVER our radar screen.

"Also there is published evidence, plus personal notes given to me by a former engineer of the Messerschmidt airplane factories in Germany to the effect that the Russians right now have such a plane or aeroform. This engineer worked on the prototype and actually saw it fly."

Ultrasonic Device

But there's still another puzzler: How do these people recognize persons as being from outer space, considering that the latter are reputed to "look exactly like earthmen"?

Sanderson suggested that foreign agents posing as space visitors might be equipped with some ultrasonic device which signals their contacts. "Many of us know about ultrasonic dog whistles," he pointed out.

Fantastic? Yes. But as Sanderson said: "It's something for those charged with our national defense to ponder—and to investigate."

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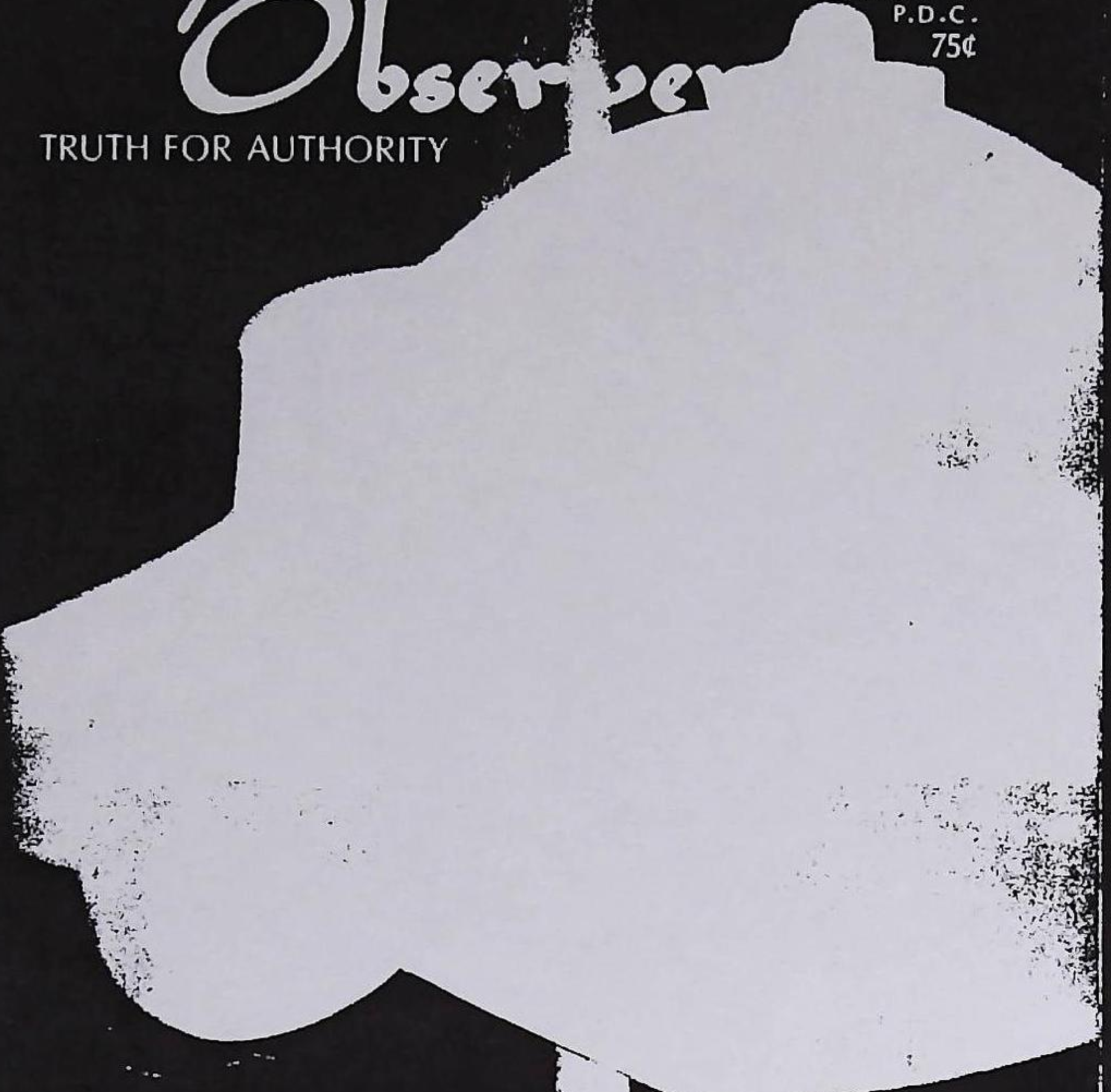

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BRYCE BOND
interviews
IVAN SANDERSON

Psychic Observer presents the first of a regular series of interviews by Bryce Bond with outstanding figures in the field of psychic and paranormal activities.

IVAN SANDERSON is a world-renown researcher, a zoologist, a biologist, a geologist and publisher of PURSUIT, the organ of the Society for the Investigation of the Unexplained.

Bryce Bond: Mr. Sanderson, do flying saucers exist?

Ivan Sanderson: Certainly, of course they exist.

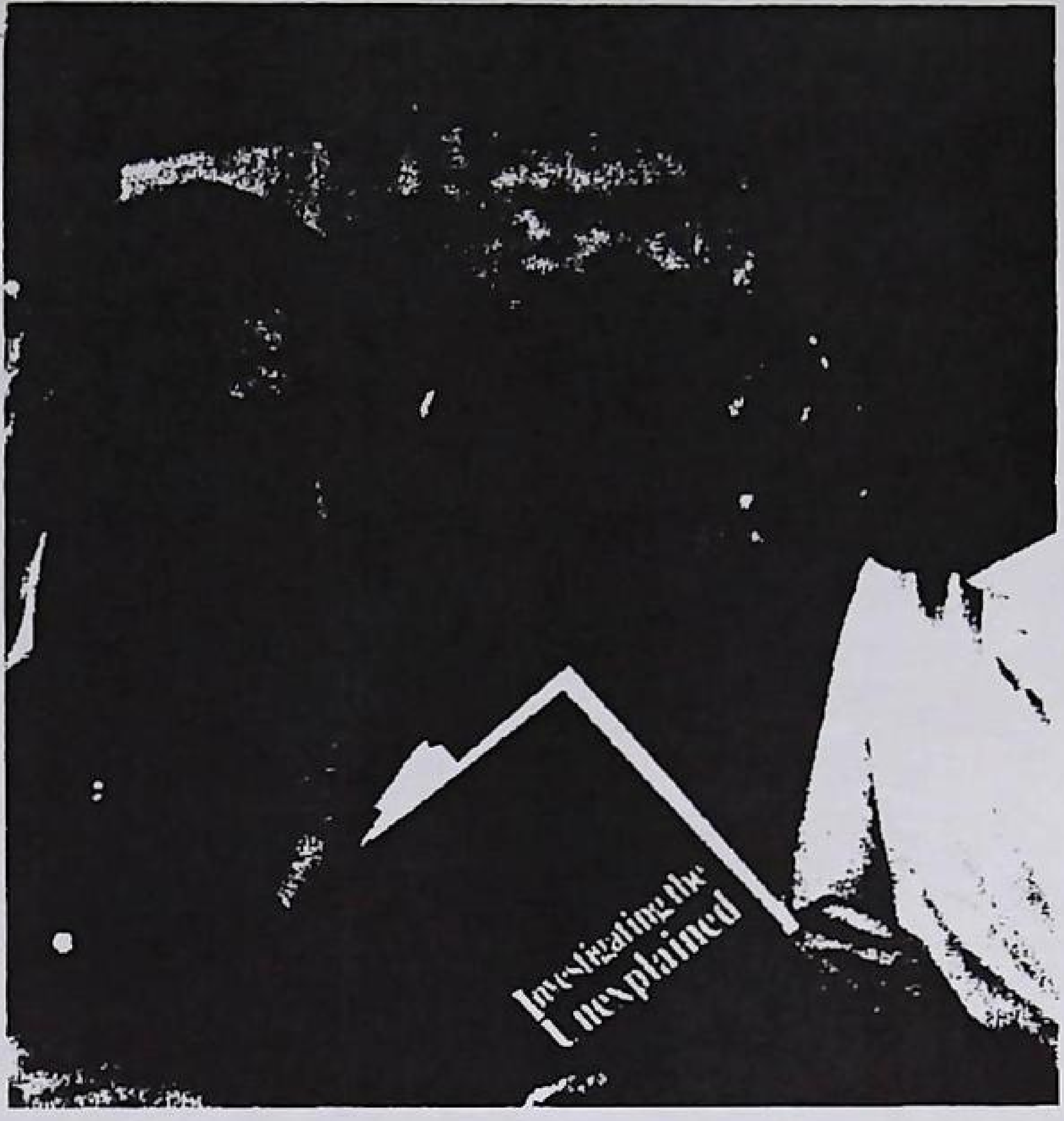
Bond: Where do they come from?

Sanderson: Who knows! We have no proof; you can't just turn around and say they come from somewhere, but there is one thing I think that comes out of the whole pattern. The scientists who study this: Jacques Valle, Emile Micheau, Dr. Condon even, and reporters like John Keel find it's perfectly obvious. It's been known to authorities for forty years now that they do not come to us through our space-time. They don't come from another planet. They come through from another set of dimensions, not another dimension or a fourth dimension, but they come from ***another whole universe,*** or whole bunch of universes which are interlocked with ours either in space or time. That's why we can't catch one, because they are not really here. They're like projections, but they're three-dimensional and solid projections so they cannot be turned on or turned off. The intelligences behind certain types of them can make them just the way that you, being a New Yorker, might expect in our technological age such a thing to be. Whereas for a primitive tribesman somewhere down in the Grand Cheaco they'll make it look like a thing, probably quite different, more like something he would know about.

They don't really come from anywhere. They come through from somewhere or manywheres!

Bond: How do they come through?

Sanderson: Well, time-wise or space-wise or both. Einstein said that we live in what is called a space-time continuum. Time is a feature of reality's existence in space. Now, space is three-dimensional. Time is not really a fourth dimension; its another factor of it. See what I mean? Now you can have another whole set of three dimensions plus another time, or our time.



Now, we have anti-matter, as you know. We have matter which is going backwards in time. It is coming from what is our future, going to our past. Ask any physicist, he can't explain it, but he can prove that this happens.

Bond: What you're saying is that governments, per se, have not captured any of these UFO's or their occupants?

Sanderson: Do you mean the government of the United States of America?

Bond: Any government, around the world.

Sanderson: Well, they've all been looking. I was introduced to this subject in 1929. In Europe the Swedes, the

Danish and, I believe, the British (The British talk less than anybody), and the South Americans, the Chileans, Brazilians, and Argentinos were after them, and the Indians (The British Indian government and then the Indian government) long, long before we got into the matter. But, I don't think any of them ever got anything. I don't think we ever will get anything which we can prove comes off what people call a UFO. All kinds of funny things have fallen out of the sky, or appeared suddenly or materialized low in the atmosphere. Whether they're parts of what other people might call a flying saucer, who's to say, lest we catch one itself? But I don't think we ever will. I think we have known this all along. That is what all this cover-up is about. The public really would get excited and a little upset if they found out that it is impossible to contact these things. Yet the intelligences behind them can contact us.

Bond: Haven't we been trying for years to make contact with other galaxies, planets and other beings out in the universe?

Sanderson: Yes, but not our universe. These don't come from our universe!

Bond: Oh, I see! . . . from some other universe.

Sanderson: Entirely different universe . .

Now if you know about the teacher, Gautama Buddha, the founder of the Buddhist religion, he always stated, just as the early Hebrews did in the Yahwasian religion of which we all are a part (Christians are an outcome) that there is an infinity of other universes. We in the West can't think of infinity. We say "Well, that's an awfully long time ago. You go that way and there must be an end to it." There is no end going either way – either in space or time, see? The teaching of Gautama Buddha was that there is an infinity of other universes.

It's like you can run around and say: 'Do you really think that the Loch Ness monster exists?' It's just as if there was one poor wretched animal that had no parents and nothing else. You can't just have *the* or *one* thing. You, who run around saying . . . Well, you asked me the first question: "Do you believe" . . . No, you said UFO's with an 's' on the end, but most people say, "Oh, I saw the flying saucer" practically as if there was only one kind. Now, there are a number of different types of things seen in our sky which we don't know about. Here again it gets even more hairy because we don't know half the natural things which are in our sky. Don't forget it was only a hundred years ago that we admitted that meteorites ever arrived here . . .science, as a whole, said it was impossible for pieces of iron and stone to fall out of the sky because there were, obviously, no stones in the sky. So it was only a hundred years ago at that. Now we have these lumps of ice landing all over the place all the time – great, huge things, up to a couple of tons – so they're obviously natural things. They are ice and they *do* come down. So, we don't know what's going on much. What's natural we might accept. Then we have all these other things which seem to be unnatural to us because we have no idea what they are! And, all of them are classed together – as flying saucers or UFO's. But, by golly, UFO's are enormously complicated.

Some of them may actually be a form of life themselves; some may come from other planets in other solar systems. Some may come through from another universe or other universes. If you go to the other side of our galaxy and you have a planet – the same as ours, and at our level of intelligence but with a further developed technology, look where we come in two hundred years, with all our modern equipment and everything. Suppose they were just a thousand years ahead of us, they would've probably stumbled across something which actually we really know about, but nobody admits and this is one of our hush-hush things . . . a thing called *teleportation,* which means the instant transference of solid matter through other solid matter, just the same as we

Sanderson pick up sound through radio and two-dimensional pictures in TV. This simply means three-dimension projection. Now we've almost got that in a hologram already. With this photograph you can walk right around and view it from all sides, but it's really a photograph."

I would like to go back to what I nearly finished before: what is the difference in coming here, instantaneously, from the other side of our galaxy in our universe, or dropping out of another universe and coming here instantaneously? This is the point. We *are working up to the immediate transmission of solids.* Radio is airborne, but the actual transmission from the transmitter is instantaneous, just the same as our power. People think you manufacture power and then pipe it from Buffalo down to New York from Niagara Falls. You don't. You use it at the moment it is being made because it's 100 millionths of a second . . . it travels at the speed of light. Exactly the same with the actual broadcast, which is then reconverted back into sound waves. Television is instantaneous. Instantaneous transference of this ashtray, for instance, from here through these walls to my apartment which is about six blocks down the road . . . THAT is teleportation. But, if you can do that within our universe you can do it instantly from any distance in our universe. And, don't forget, our universe is circular. To over-simplify – Einstein said if you can go on to infinity in one direction you will eventually hit the back of your head. Because, actually, our space is curved. There are other curved spaces mixed up in it. You can go from one side of one universe to the other side of the universe instantaneously because you are really there already! It's where you started from! You can also come from another universe and pop in *out* here or *in* there anytime you want once you've got teleportation, or instantaneous projection. I call it ITF – instantaneous transference. This is what we are working up to and this is what scientists – thinking scientists – and all the governments have come to the conclusion is the method by which UFOs appear and disappear and move about and make angular turns and so on.

Bond: From another dimension, in other words.

Sanderson: No, no, not *another* dimension. This is where everybody makes a mistake. There can only be *three* dimensions. The mathematical proof of that appeared just last year in Germany and then, also, in England, and it has now come out in a leading scientific journal here. *You can't have a fourth dimension.* The whole thing would collapse. You can't have any space which is uni-dimensional, or linear or two-dimensional. It's got to have three dimensions otherwise there will not be a universe. It won't exist in space. Now, there is not a fourth dimension, but *another set of three dimensions* or another set and another set and another set, an infinite number of three dimensions, not a fourth dimension.

What are the UFO's that these people are seeing – the top scientists, the astrologers and the airline pilots and some of the government officials and myself? What am I seeing?

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The moon contains many pictures other than the man in the moon, and they all show up quite well at certain angles in photos or are swallowed up in the marks of the meteor craters in others. It all depends on the chiaroscuro sought. . . the kind of contrast looked for and achieved . . . and the angle from which the astronaut took the pictures, etc., etc.,

Here is a moon photo purposely blurred to achieve an all-over pictorial look rather than just a lot of high contrast pock marks. Note that there is a needle-nosed female wearing a tiara who may or may not be an accidental apparition. Truth is, she is not . . . but I don't want to argue the point. (Illustration no. 1)

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Reversing the black and white and turning the negative over, left to right, produces a photo in which the needle-nosed woman disappears, to be replaced by a man shouting and holding his nose . . . which is symbolic of who knows what at this late date. (Illustr. No. 2)

In any case, you do not really have to LOOK for rock book images to see what they look like, they sail over head every night and they are also seen every day on ''Today'' when the continent of Africa comes on the background behind Barbara. The African continent plus Europe plus Asia make together a very fair bust of Aphrodite . . . giving rise to the speculation . . . ''Did God indeed when he created the earth have a crush on Aphrodite?''

With England serving as the frontispiece on Aphrodite's helmet and all Asia forming her flying hair . . . one wonders about the story of God Creating earth . . . or maybe it was Aphrodite?

In any case these peculiarly outstanding examples of the ancient races' predilection for decorating things like planets do lend a hand to the orthodox religionists' constant repetition of the phrase . . . ''God created the earth'' because He sure left a lot of His drawing on it.

Actually, the ancient great races use of planets for footstools and space buoys on which they painted their space beacon symbols to give them the speed and direction and size of the planet without having to compute it all every time they passed . . . has left us some outstanding examples of the space people's handiwork.

They made such projections upon planets and moons and other bodies with great ''integrative force rays which cause a raised design on anything they strike.'' And they used the same sort of ray forces to engrace rock books and to put the images inside the rock books for you to read.

That the original great space races colonized earth is plain enough for anyone to see if they look for their handiwork. It is everywhere one looks. But one does have to look with an open mind and an eye that can accept some slight deterioration as natural in anything so old.

For me to take on the phalanxes of God-shouters and try to explain that rock books are really more omnipresent even than Gideon Bibles and much more important in content . . . is for me to say truth and them to misunderstand the truth, as usual.

But I don't really crave for the privilege because they all have a much louder voice than I. Like truth, I have only a still small voice and a moon and a planet or two to back me up.

But I do have reason and vision on my side, if they insist upon arguing.

For instance, you can make any number of portraits of space men in their space gear . . . and all of them will be better looking than this example of a space trader. For the Amazons with whom he is discussing trade were quite scornful of him and his appearance and what he had to offer them. What is important is not that he is a Hitler-like character full of his own bombast . . . but his space gear and what we can learn from it.

Note, his collar is quite tight and is stuffed with padding to keep his head from moving during acceleration and take-off. There is a metal neck brace at the back of the collar as further insurance against whip lash movement of the head. There is a little black hand symbol at the back pointing out the hinge detail that attaches his helmet to the neck brace metal. He couldn't lose or remove that helmet . . . it was always ready and in place to be lowered in case the air wasn't right. It was also fleece-lined to make a seal when closed . . . the rock books tell it like it was. ▲

Muni Shri Chitrabhanu In U.S.

James L. Everett

THE FIRST IN 2,500 YEARS, a Jain Sadhu religious leader has left India to bring his personal ministry to the West. Regarded by traditional Indian ascetics as unorthodox, his followers find he radiates a saintly serenity and tranquility of the mind which he can transmit to others.

Known by the pen-name of Muni Shri Chitrabhanu, the 50-year-old married priest now lives in New York City where he lectures at numerous religious functions and teaches a 12-week course at New York State College.

Muni Shri does "not want to teach people their duties or any doctrines of religion. I want to arouse them from their complacencies, to stir their hearts, to vivify their imagination, to bring them out from their little selves to the Higher, of which they are capable."

His own path to spiritual awakening began at age 10 when he first realized during an hour-long coma "that there exists something else apart from the physical senses which gives continuity to our desperate actions."

The call to an ascetic life remained slumbering until rheumatic fever struck at 18 and he again heard the "still, small voice" which whispered "leave all for me."

Then commenced a long pilgrimage for Chitrabhanu, who travelled throughout India seeking inspiration from religious leaders. Finally at Pavapuri in 1942, at a marble temple in the midst of a small lake surrounded by lotus blossoms, the veil was lifted. As he stood before the padukas or footprints of Lord Mahavir in low relief in marble, a ray of light seemed to spring up from between the padukas. He then knew that those foot prints were to be his to follow.

As a Jain Sadhu, his religious writings (six books in English) express a great catholicity and sympathy for all living things. Such is the force of his convictions, he succeeded in stopping the slaughter of all animals for eight holy days a year in Bombay, though thousands of non-vegetarians live there.

Chitrabhanu's reputation as a renowned religious leader has brought him to several countries for speaking engagements. He will remain in the United States temporarily to work toward a new synthesis of Eastern and Western philosophies.

speaking engagements

January: *13, 3 PM. Spiritual Frontiers Fellowship. Madison Ave. Baptist Church, 31st and Madison Ave. N.Y.C.*
14 and 21, 4 PM. Theosophical Society 242 E. 53rd. St. N.Y.C.
25, 7:30 PM. Association for Research and Enlightenment, 34 E. 35th St. N.Y.C.

He will speak also at New York University to the graduate Nursing School on the "Process of Consciousness." For future speaking dates contact Rita Livingston, 49 E. 91st St. (212) 289-7005.

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